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Alfred J. Morin
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Dear Mr. Morin:

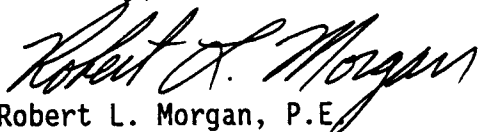
It has been brought to our attention that you are illegally diverting water from the Beaver River. An earthen dam has been placed across the natural channel and is allowing water to be stored in an unnamed pond adjacent to the Beaver River where there is no apparent water right.

In the State of Utah it is unlawful to divert, impound, or use water without first obtaining a permit or approval through this office to accomplish those purposes. A careful search of our records indicates that you do not have a water right in the Beaver River nor have you been given permission to enter or alter a natural channel.

By this notice you are ordered to remove the embankment in the Beaver River and to discontinue any further use or impoundment of water in the pond located on your property in the NW4 Section 24, T29S, R7W SLM. If you fail to comply, legal action may be taken to correct this situation.

Thank you for your cooperation in attending to this matter in a timely manner. If you have any questions concerning this matter please check with the Beaver River Water Commissioner, Lee Strong, or Gerald W. Stoker, in our Cedar City Office.

Sincerely,


Robert L. Morgan, P.E.
State Engineer

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cc: Ken Yardley, Beaver County Sheriff
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